order of the Hon'ble High Court of Rajasthan. The matter is now before the Hon'ble Supreme Court and is dependant on its orders.

Irrigation schemes under construction

†1623. SHRIMATI SUSHMA SWARAJ: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) the number of projects under construction in Madhya Pradesh under the Accelerated Irrigation Profit Scheme of the Water Resource Department;

(b) the details of steps being taken for the continuous increase in irrigated region of Madhya Pradesh under 'Vision-08'; and

(c) by when the pending schemes are likely to be completed in Madhya Pradesh?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JAY PRAKASH NARAYAN YADAV): (a) The details of the ongoing and completed projects of the Water Resources Department of Government of Madhya Pradesh and Narmada Valley Development Authority of Madhya Pradesh under Accelerated Irrigation Benefits Programme (AIBP) are given in the Statement (See below). -,,-

(b) Irrigation is a State subject and their planning, execution, funding as well priority of execution is within the purview of the concerned State Governments. Central Government provides financial assistance for expeditious completion of ongoing irrigation projects under AIBP in accordance with the guidelines of the programme and based on the proposals for availing such assistance received from concerned State Government.

(c) The target years of completion of the ongoing irrigation projects under AIBP of Madhya Pradesh are given in the Statement.

Statement

Irrigation projects of Water Resources Department and NVDA of Madhya Pradesh under AIBP*

Sl. No.	Name of the State/Projects	Amount Department/Authority to whom project pertains	Target year of completion for projects (AIBP component)
1	2	3	4
Major, Medium & Minor Irrigation Projects			
Madhya Pradesh			
1.	Indira Sagar	NVDA	2008-09
2.	Bansagar (Unit-I) (C)	WRD	Completed
3.	Bansagar (Unit-II)	WRD	2008-09
4.	Upper Wainganga (C)	WRD	Completed
5.	Rajghat Dam (Inter State Project) (C)	WRD	Completed
6.	Sindh Phase-II	WRD	2009-10
7.	Sindh Phase-I (C)	WRD	Completed
8.	Mahi	WRD	2008-09
9.	Barlalpur	WRD	2008-09
10.	Urmll (C)	WRD	Completed

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

1	2	3	4
11.	Banjar (C)	WRD	Completed
12.	Bawanthadi	WRD	2008-09
13.	Mahan	WRD	2008-09
14.	Omkareshwar	NVDA	2008-09
15.&	Bargi Dam RBC (16 Km.-63 Km.)		
16.	Bargi Div. Pro. Canal (63 Km. to 104 Km.)	NVDA	2008-09
17.	17 Ongoing Surface MI Schemes 2006-07	WRD	2007-08
18.	32 New Surface Ml Schemes 2007-08	WRD	2008-09
19.	2 New Surface MI Schemes 2007-08	WRD	2008-09
20.	26 New Surface MI Schemes 2007-08	WRD	2008-09

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WRD: Water Resources Department
NVDA: Narmada Valley Development Authority.

(C): Project completed

Damages caused by **floods in Assam**

1624. SHRI SILVIUS CONDPAN: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that in the recent floods in Assam, immense damages have been caused on the roads and bridges in Assam;

(b) if so, what steps have been taken to assist the State Government; and

(c) what is the detail report from the State Government, if received, so far for flood damage relief?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JAY PRAKASH NARAYAN YADAV): (a) The Government of Assam, in its Memorandum submitted to the Government seeking financial assistance in the wake of floods of 2007, has intimated that during current year, the State has experienced three phases of floods which have caused damage to roads, bridges, properties and loss of human lives.

(b) In response to the memorandum submitted by the State Government, an Inter Ministerial Central Team has been constitued by the Ministry of Home Affairs to visit the State shortly in consultation with the Government of Assam for an on the spot assessment of the situation and requirement of funds for relief operations.

(c) As per memorandum, the State has sought an assistance of Rs. 913.86 crore and the extent of damage caused to roads, bridge, properties and loss of human lives are as under:—

Sl. No.	Item	Total (Cumulative)
1	2	3
1.	Loss of human life	134
2.	Total affected area	15.04 lakh ha.
3.	Crop area affected	6.74 lakh ha.
4.	Houses damaged	15,846